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| AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER | | | Docket No. 0020-5295PUS1 | |
| Application No. 10/507,133-Conf. #2676 | Filing Date September 10, 2004 | Examiner K. M. Bernatz | Art Unit 1773 | |

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Invention: MAGNETIC TAPE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
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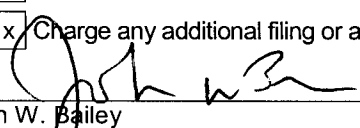
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